



## Tour Name

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Private Lucca: A Bite of Pistoia

## Tour City

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Lucca

## Tour Snapshot

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Taste the real Tuscany on a private food tour of oh-so-charming Pistoia! Wander the historic streets, explore the bustling daily market and delicatessen shops, then dig into a scrumptious brunch of true Tuscan flavours. *La dolce vita* indeed!

*This tour is priced for a minimum group size of two travellers. A solo traveller may still book this private experience but will be charged the base rate for two travellers.*

### Highlights

- Visit the medieval town of Pistoia in the heart of Tuscany, on a private tour with your own personal guide
- See magnificent historic sites like Duomo Square and the Ceppo frieze
- Wander through the market and experience how locals shop for produce
- Pop into neighbourhood shops and delis and sample typical Tuscan treats
- Indulge in an authentic Italian brunch starring bruschetta, prosciutto, and more

Inclusions: Local English-speaking guide, food samples (including one coffee, one small sweet, cheeses, and selection of locally cured meats), a glass of wine.

Exclusions: Transportation to/from Pistoia, additional food and drink, souvenirs and items of a personal nature, tips/gratuities for your guide.

### **Schedule details**

- Duration: 2.5 hours
- Meeting point:  
Pistoia Railway Station, under the taxi sign.
- Find the exact meeting point with what3words: [///pastels.adults.call](https://www.what3words.com/pastels.adults.call)
- Starting time: 10.30 AM
- Ending point:  
Sala Square

### **Full Itinerary**

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Located at the foot of the Appennine Mountains, Pistoia is the new alternative destination in Tuscany. It has a number of beautiful churches and squares dating back from the 11th century, and boasts a lively vibe with its own, totally unique character. It's also very easy to reach because of its position between Florence and Lucca, in the heart of Tuscany.

Your Pistoia tour will start with a walk to the centre of the old city. We'll explore the medieval narrow lanes all around the ancient Sala Square that dates back to the 8th century.

Our first stop will be at a historical café where we can taste the best coffee in town, paired with something sweet to get your energy levels up ready for the morning ahead!

From there, you'll get your first taste of the city's great atmosphere, as we walk through the local market, with stalls full of fresh, seasonal fruits and vegetables. We'll also check out a traditional shop where we'll taste different local sweet products such as *brigidini* and *confetti* and we'll share some stories with you about their production.

After our snack stop, we'll go explore the beautiful Duomo Square and learn the history of San Zeno Cathedral with the silver St. James altar, made by renaissance master Filippo Brunelleschi. We'll also check out sites such as the old Baptistery, which dates back to 1300, the old Town Hall where the elders used to rule the medieval city, Pretorio Palace, and the historic frieze of the Ceppo Pilgrimage Hospital.

We'll finish up our Pistoia tour with a delicious Tuscan brunch in a local *Norcineria*. We'll taste different kinds of cured meats such as *finocchiona* salami, *mortadella*, and *prosciutto crudo*, paired with bruschetta and extra virgin olive oil made in the Pistoia hills. And of course, we'll wash all that down with some good local wine.

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**Dress standard:** Please wear comfortable shoes for walking.

**Confirmation of booking:** If you have your voucher, your booking is confirmed. We'll see you at the start point. Get in touch if you have any concerns or require more information via the email address or phone number (business hours only) on your voucher.

**Child Policy:** This is a child-friendly tour. Children between the ages of 6 and 11 inclusively are permitted on this tour at the rate listed above. Please select 'child' above when booking. Children under the age of 6 are permitted to join this tour free of charge. Please inform us at the time of booking if you'll be bringing a child under the age of 6. You can do so in the special request box on the checkout page.

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